



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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May 24, 2012

**NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS**  
**SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE**

Contract Number: DN11142385  
TIP Number: N/A  
Federal Aid Number: N/A  
WBS Number: 14.102017  
County: Cherokee  
Location: Cherokee County Rest Area on SR 1388 Beaver Creek Road near the intersection of US 129/19/74  
Description: Seal Existing Pavement Cracks, Traffic Control  
Letting Date: June 12, 2012

The Department of Transportation does not exclude any person from participation in, deny any person the benefits of, or otherwise discriminate against anyone in connection with the award and performance of any contract covered by this program on the basis of race, color, sex, political affiliation/ influence, or national origin.

**SBE PROGRAM INFORMATION**

This is a SBE contract and to qualify for the NCDOT SBE Program a firm must have an annual gross income of \$1,500,000 or less, exclusive of materials. **Only contractors currently certified as a SBE Contractor by the Contractual Services Unit of NCDOT and is listed in the Directory of Transportation Firms at bid opening will be eligible to bid on this project.**

**Prospective bidders who qualify for the SBE Program and are not currently certified should submit a completed application packet prior to bid submittal to allow for review time. The application packet and additional information on the program may be obtained online at:**

<http://www.ncdot.org/business/ocs/sbe/>

Per G.S. 136-28.10, a NC General Contractor's license may be waived for SBE contracts.

Per G.S. 136-28.10, contract payment and performance bonds may be waived.

**BID OPENING**

Sealed bids must be received in the Division Contract Office at 253 Webster Road, Sylva, NC 28779 by 2:00 PM on Tuesday June 12, 2012. Bids must be submitted on the official bid sheet as described in the project special provisions.



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**OTHER INFORMATION**

The contract proposal is available online at <http://www.ncdot.org/doh/operations/division14/bids/default.html>. Bidders must contact Division 14 Contracts Office by sending an email to [d14contracts@ncdot.gov](mailto:d14contracts@ncdot.gov) to receive a validation email for the downloaded copy of the proposal. Only copies with the validation email inserted into the proposal will be accepted. Supplemental project information and addendums will be posted at <http://www.ncdot.org/doh/operations/division14/bids/default.html>.

Project specific questions should be added to Mrs. Wanda H. Austin, PE , Proposals Engineer at [whaustin@ncdot.gov](mailto:whaustin@ncdot.gov)